ICAR-NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY Lal Bahadur Shastri Building, Pusa Campus, NewDelhi-110012 Advertisement No.-2001-3106/SRF/129491

Walk-in Interviews

Applications from Indian nationals are invited for temporary engagement under the following project. Engagement shall be purely on contractual basis.

Title of the Project	BNF- Genetic modification to improve biological nitrogen
	fixation for augmenting nitrogen needs in cereals.
Funding Agency	Indian Council of Agricultural Research
Duration of the Project	For a period of one year from the date of appointment, or
	termination of project, whichever is earlier.
Post	Senior Research Fellow
No. of Post	One
Emoluments Fixed per	Rs. 37000/- + 30% HRA
month(Rs.)	
Essential Qualifications	Master's degree in the areas of Plant/ Agricultural Biotechnology and
	Molecular Biology, Plant Biotechnology, Plant Molecular
	Biology, Plant Biochemistry, Genetics and Plant breeding and
	related Biological Sciences, Or any relevant discipline with research
	experience in plant Biotechnology and Molecular Biology (Master
	degree in relevant subject with 4 years / 5 years of Bachelor's Degree.
	Candidates having Post-graduate degree in Basis Sciences with 3
	years Bachelor's degree and 2 years Master's degree should have NET
	qualification and 2 years of research experience as mentioned in OM
	No.Edn./6/27/20I4/HRD dated 13 th July, 2015, OM No. Agril. Edn.
	/6/27/20I4/HRD 9 th October, 2015 of the Council and OM SR/S9/Z-
	09/2018 of DST dated 30 th January, 2019.)
Desirable Qualifications	Research experience in plant transformation and genome
	editing, preferably in rice. Detail molecular analysis of
	transgenic and genome edited plants, growing normal rice,
	transgenic rice, and genome edited rice in hydroponics,
	artificial media and soil and also in pots and field.
	Development and manipulation of transformation vector. Also
	should have sound knowledge of designing construct for gene
	editing, microscopy and Bioinformatic analysis (mainly
	genome analysis,transcriptome analysis,knowledge of R).
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Date of Interview	16/01/2026 at 11:00 am

Terms & Conditions:

- 1. This is a Walk-in-Interview. However, all interested candidates should send their application along with Biodata and publication (softcopy only) through email to bf.bnf.nipb@gmail.com, at least two days prior to the Interview. On the date of Interview, interested candidates will attend the Walk-In-Interviews with 4 copies of Application form along with 2 self attested copies of all the documents related to educational qualifications/experience/publications etc. and 1 recent passport size photograph.
- 2. The Original of following documents, along with 2 self-attested copies, mentioned below must be brought by the candidate to secure their eligibility for taking Interviews.
 - I. Application form strictly in the format given in the next page (all fields mandatory)
 - II. Complete CV.
 - III. Class 10 Mark sheet
 - IV. Class 10 Pass Certificate
 - V. Class 12 Mark sheet
 - VI. Class 12 Pass Certificate
 - VII. Graduation Mark sheet/Transcript
 - VIII. Graduation Degree Certificate
 - IX. Post-Graduation Mark sheet/Transcript
 - X. Post-Graduation Degree Certificate
 - XI. Experience Certificate (as & where applicable)
 - XII. No-Objection Certificate (essentially required if currently employed, as & where applicable)
 - XIII. Conversion factor from CGPA to percentage, wherever applicable.
 - XIV. PhD. Degree certificate. (as & where applicable)
 - XV. PhD marksheet. (as & where applicable)
 - XVI. SC/ST/OBC Non-Creamy Layer/PH certificate as applicable.
 - XVII. Copy of publication if any.
 - XVIII. Any other relevant documents.

Those candidates who fail to bring the documents mentioned above on the date of Interviews, their candidature is liable to be cancelled.

- 3. Only candidates having essential qualifications would be considered for the interviews.
- 4. Number of post as advertised may increase or decrease depending upon the requirement of the Institute and various undergoing/running projects having same essential qualifications.
- 5. Incomplete applications without requisite documents in any form will be summarily rejected.

- 6. All the claims made in application form needs to be attached with substantial documentary evidence else the claim will not be considered.
- 7. For claiming experience, necessary experience certificate duly issued by competent authority has to be enclosed with application for consideration of the same.
- 9. Age Limit (as on the date of Interview): Upper age limit for application to the **post of SRF** is mentioned as under (As per ICAR guidelines)

Male	35 years		
Female	40 years		

- 10. No TA/DA would be given for appearing in the interview.
- 11. The positions are purely temporary, on a contractual basis and initially offered for one year or till project duration whichever is earlier. However, the positions can be terminated with one months' notice owing to any change in circumstances. The person selected will have no right to claim employment or engagement in ICAR at the end of the contract period.
- 12. Concealing of facts/canvassing shall lead to disqualification of the candidature.
- 13. The Competent Authority/Director of the Institute reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the applications without assigning any reason thereof.
- 14. The decision of the Competent Authority/Director of the Institute will be final and binding in all aspects.
- 15. In case of any disputes, it will be resolved within the jurisdiction of New Delhi Court only.
- 16. Candidates are advised to keep checking the Institute website on a regular basis for any kind of further information regarding interview.
- 17. The tentative date of interview **16/01/2026** at **11:00** am. The candidates shall report at LBS Building, Pusa Campus, New Delhi 110012 at 9.30 am.

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APPLICATION FORM FOR THE POST OF SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOW

1	Name of the Candidate		
2	Father's Name		Photo graph
3	Mother's Name		Passport size
4	Sex	(M)(F)	
5	DOB (dd-mm-yyyy)		
6	Age as on < last date of receipt of application>	years months days	
7	Address for Correspondence		
		State: Pin code:	
8	Email ID (kindly note all correspondence will be done to this email ID only)		
9	Contact No.	Alternate No.(optional)_	
10	Category (Check wherever applicable)	UR OBC SC	ST PH
11	Educational Qualifications		

Exam/ Degree	Board/ University	Subject	Year of Passing	Marks/ CGPA obtained	Maximum Marks/ CGPA	Percen- tage	CGPA to percentage conversion formula attached?
10th							
12th							
B.Sc./ B.Tech							
M.Sc./ M.Tech							
PhD							

12	Publications* (if any)
I)	
 II)	
 III)	

13 Experience** (if any)

SI. No.	Name of Employer	Position held	From	То	Experience Certificate/ NOC attached? Yes/No
I)					
II)					
III)					
IV)					
V)					

 $^{{}^{*}\}mbox{If there are more publications, a list may be attached as Annexure with signature and date$

14	Total experienceyea	rs months _	davs
.6	Checklist		Self-attested Copy
			Attached with
			Application? (Yes/N
)	Complete CV		
I)	Class 10 Mark sheet		
II)	Class 10 Pass Certificate		
IV)	Class 12 Mark sheet		
V)	Class 12 Pass Certificate		
VI)	Graduation Mark sheet/Transcript		
VII)	Graduation Degree Certificate		
VIII)	Post-Graduation Mark sheet/Transcript		
IX)	Post-Graduation Degree Certificate		
X)	Ph.d Mark sheet and/or degree certificate		
XI)	NET/GATE qualified scorecard/certificate (as	& where applicable)	
XII)	Research Publications (as & where applicable)	
XIII)	Experience Certificate (as & where applicable	·)	
XIV)	No-Objection Certificate (if currently employe	ed, as & where applicable)	
XV)	Conversion factor from CGPA to percentage (wherever applicable)	
XVI)	SC/ST/OBC Non-Creamy Layer/PH certificate	(as& where applicable)	
XVII)	Any other relevant documents		

I hereby declare that the information furnished on the previous page and above is true to the best of my knowledge.

I also declare that I do not have any relation with any person employed with ICAR/ICAR-NIPB. If yes, the Name and designation of the related persons mentioned below.

Signature

Place Date